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Applicant : Manoocher Birang et al                      Art Unit : 3723  
Serial No. : 10/722,305                                      Examiner : Shantese McDonald  
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Title : POLISHING PAD FOR IN-SITU ENDPOINT DETECTION

Commissioner for Patents  
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PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated May 18, 2004, be extended for two months to and including October 18, 2004.

Enclosed is a check for \$420 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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